

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

ANTHONY MITCHELL.

Case #2:24-cv-01042-RFB-DJA

Plaintiff(s),

vs.

SUE E. GOVE, et al.

Defendant(s).

**VERIFIED PETITION FOR
PERMISSION TO PRACTICE
IN THIS CASE ONLY BY
ATTORNEY NOT ADMITTED
TO THE BAR OF THIS COURT
AND DESIGNATION OF
LOCAL COUNSEL**

FILING FEE IS \$250.00

Victor L. Hou, Petitioner, respectfully represents to the Court:
(name of petitioner)

1. That Petitioner is an attorney at law and a member of the law firm of

Cleary Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton LLP

(firm name)

with offices at One Liberty Plaza,
(street address)

New York, New York, 10006,
(city) (state) (zip code)

212-225-2609, vhou@cgsh.com,
(area code + telephone number) (Email address)

2. That Petitioner has been retained personally or as a member of the law firm by

Sue E. Gove to provide legal representation in connection with
[client(s)]

the above-entitled case now pending before this Court.

3. That since June 15, 1998, Petitioner has been and presently is a
(date)
member in good standing of the bar of the highest Court of the State of New York
(state)
where Petitioner regularly practices law. Petitioner shall attach a certificate from the state bar or
from the clerk of the supreme court or highest admitting court of each state, territory, or insular
possession of the United States in which the applicant has been admitted to practice law certifying
the applicant's membership therein is in good standing.

4. That Petitioner was admitted to practice before the following United States District
Courts, United States Circuit Courts of Appeal, the Supreme Court of the United States and Courts
of other States on the dates indicated for each, and that Petitioner is presently a member in good
standing of the bars of said Courts.

Court ¹	Date Admitted	Bar Number
New York, First Department	June 15, 1998	2904670
US. Dist. Ct., Southern Dist. of N.Y.	Apr. 13, 1999	
US. Dist. Ct., Eastern Dist. of N.Y.	Dec. 14, 2010	
U.S. Ct. of App. for the Second Cir.	Dec. 8, 2015	
U.S. Supreme Court	Nov. 28, 2016	
US. Dist. Ct., Eastern Dist. of Mich.	May 28, 2020	
U.S. Ct. of App. for the Ninth Cir.	Mar. 10, 2021	

5. That there are or have been no disciplinary proceedings instituted against petitioner,
nor any suspension of any license, certificate or privilege to appear before any judicial, regulatory
or administrative body, or any resignation or termination in order to avoid disciplinary or
disbarment proceedings, except as described in detail below:

None

Note that Petitioner is likewise admitted to practice before the U.S. Ct. of App. for the Third Cir. (admitted June 1, 2021) and the US. Dist. Ct., Northern Dist. of N.Y. (admitted Dec. 11, 2023).

6. That Petitioner has never been denied admission to the State Bar of Nevada. (Give particulars if ever denied admission):

None

7. That Petitioner is a member of good standing in the following Bar Associations.

New York

8. Petitioner has filed application(s) to appear as counsel under Local Rule IA 11-2 (formerly LR IA 10-2) during the past three (3) years in the following matters: (State "none" if no applications.)

Date of Application	Cause	Title of Court Administrative Body or Arbitrator	Was Application Granted or Denied

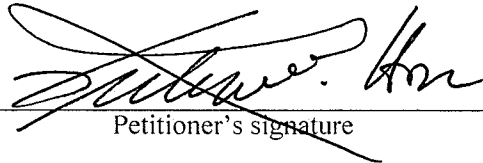
(If necessary, please attach a statement of additional applications)

9. Petitioner consents to the jurisdiction of the courts and disciplinary boards of the State of Nevada with respect to the law of this state governing the conduct of attorneys to the same extent as a member of the State Bar of Nevada.

10. Petitioner agrees to comply with the standards of professional conduct required of the members of the bar of this court.

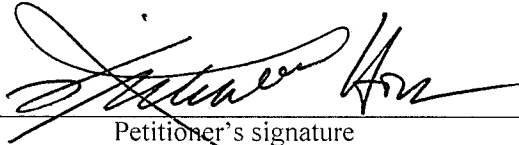
11. Petitioner has disclosed in writing to the client that the applicant is not admitted to practice in this jurisdiction and that the client has consented to such representation.

1 That Petitioner respectfully prays that Petitioner be admitted to practice before this Court
2 FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS CASE ONLY.


Petitioner's signature

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4 STATE OF New York)
5 COUNTY OF NEW YORK)
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7 VICTOR L. HSU, Petitioner, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:
8 That the foregoing statements are true.


Petitioner's signature

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10 Subscribed and sworn to before me this

11 13th day of MARCH, 2025.



13 Notary Public or Clerk of Court

12 **DIANA MENDOZA MAYORAL**
13 **NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF NEW YORK**
14 **Registration No. 01ME6444091**
15 **Qualified in New York County**
16 **My Commission Expires November 21, 2026**

17 **DESIGNATION OF RESIDENT ATTORNEY ADMITTED TO**
18 **THE BAR OF THIS COURT AND CONSENT THERETO.**

19 Pursuant to the requirements of the Local Rules of Practice for this Court, the Petitioner
20 believes it to be in the best interests of the client(s) to designate Bradley Austin,
21 (name of local counsel)
22 Attorney at Law, member of the State of Nevada and previously admitted to practice before the
23 above-entitled Court as associate resident counsel in this action. The address and email address of
24 said designated Nevada counsel is:

25 1700 South Pavilion Center Drive Suite 700,
26 (street address)
27 Las Vegas, Nevada, 89135,
28 (city) (state) (zip code)
29 (702) 784-5247, baustin@swlaw.com.
(area code + telephone number) (Email address)

1 By this designation the petitioner and undersigned party(ies) agree that this designation constitutes
2 agreement and authorization for the designated resident admitted counsel to sign stipulations
3 binding on all of us.
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5 **APPOINTMENT OF DESIGNATED RESIDENT NEVADA COUNSEL**

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7 The undersigned party(ies) appoint(s) Bradley Austin as
8 his/her/their Designated Resident Nevada Counsel in this case.
(name of local counsel)

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11 (party's signature)

12 Sue Gove
(type or print party name, title)

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14 (party's signature)

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16 (type or print party name, title)

17 **CONSENT OF DESIGNEE**

18 The undersigned hereby consents to serve as associate resident Nevada counsel in this case.

19
20 /s/ Bradley Austin
Designated Resident Nevada Counsel's signature

21 13064 baustin@swlaw.com
22 Bar number Email address

23 APPROVED:

24 Dated: this _____ day of _____, 20____.

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26 _____
27 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE



*Appellate Division of the Supreme Court
of the State of New York
First Judicial Department*

I, Susanna M. Rojas, Clerk of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial Department, do hereby certify that

Victor L. Hou

*was duly licensed and admitted to practice as an Attorney and Counselor at Law in all the courts of this State on **June 15, 1998**, has duly taken and subscribed the oath of office prescribed by law, has been enrolled in the Roll of Attorneys and Counselors at Law on file in this office, is duly registered with the Office of Court Administration, and according to the records of this Court is currently in good standing as an Attorney and Counselor-at-Law.*



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand in the City of New York on March 14, 2025.

Susanna M. Rojas

Clerk of the Court



Supreme Court of the State of New York
Appellate Division, First Department

DIANNE T. RENWICK
PRESIDING JUSTICE

SUSANNA MOLINA ROJAS
CLERK OF THE COURT

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DEPUTY CLERK OF THE COURT

DOUGLAS C. SULLIVAN
DEPUTY CLERK OF THE COURT

To Whom It May Concern

An attorney admitted to practice by this Court may request a certificate of good standing, which is the only official document this Court issues certifying to an attorney's admission and good standing.

An attorney's registration status, date of admission and disciplinary history may be viewed through the attorney search feature on [the website of the Unified Court System](#).

New York State does not register attorneys as active or inactive.

An attorney may request a disciplinary history letter from the [Attorney Grievance Committee of the First Judicial Department](#).

Bar examination history is available from the [New York State Board of Law Examiners](#).

Instructions, forms and links are available on [this Court's website](#).

Susanna Rojas
Clerk of the Court

Revised October 2020